

University of Toronto

Faculty of Music

Historical Performance Ensembles

Gregory Johnston, director



Venice *A Most Serene & Singular City*

Thursday, March 21, 1996

8 pm

Walter Hall, Edward Johnson Building

PROGRAMME

In pro

Anon.

Brian Power, *vielle*; Robert Simms, *oud*
Julia Seager, *harp*; John Haines, *darbukka*

De' poni amor

Gherardello (c1320-62)

Katherine Hill, *soprano and rebec*

♦ ♦ ♦

Lamento di Tristano

Anon.

Brian Power, *vielle*

Ut te per omnes Clitus

Johannes Ciconia (c1373-1412)

(Motet for the Bishop of Padua, c1410)

Dean Kustra, *countertenor*
John Haines, David Playfair, *tenor*
José Gotera, *baritone*

♦ ♦ ♦

Music for

the Three Ladies of Ferrara

Luzzascho Luzzaschi (1545-1607)

T'amo mia vita

O dolcezze amarissime d'amore

Troppo ben può

Katherine Hill, Tracy Smith, Karen Wierzba, *soprano*

♦ ♦ ♦

*Dimmi ben mio**

Giovanni Gabrieli (c1553-1612)

*Amor piangev'e io con luy tal volta**

Hubert Waelrant (c1516-85)

*Lamento della Ninfa***

Claudio Monteverdi (1567-1643)

Christine Howlett*, Karen Wierzba**, *soprano*
John Haines, David Playfair, *tenor*; José Gotera, *baritone*
Christine Bootland, *cello*; Anna Chan, *harpsichord*

INTERMISSION

Concerto in A minor

Antonio Vivaldi (1678-1741)
(arr. J. S. Bach, born 21 March 1685)

First movement: Allegro

Andrew Ager, *organ*

Cantata: Amor, hai vinto

Antonio Vivaldi

Recitative — Aria — Recitative — Aria

Tracy Smith, *soprano*
Anna Chan, *harpsichord*

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“Ego flos campi,” *Concerti sacri* (1624)

Claudio Monteverdi

Dean Kustra, *countertenor*
Anna Chan, *harpsichord*

Cantata à voce
sopra il Passacaglie

Giovanni Felice Sances (c1600-79)

Elizabeth McDonald, *soprano*
Anna Chan, *harpsichord*

“Tirsi mori volea,”
Dialogo Amoroso à 3 voci

Giovanni Felice Sances

Elizabeth McDonald, *soprano*
Mark Howard, Robert Stewart, *bass*
Tracy Lai, *harpsichord*

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“Herr unser Herrscher”, *Symphoniae sacrae II* (1647)

Heinrich Schütz

“O come sei gentile”,

Settimo Libro de Madrigali (1619)

Claudio Monteverdi

“Es steh Gott auf”, *Symphoniae sacrae II*

Heinrich Schütz

Katherine Hill, Christine Howlett, *soprano*
Ivana Popovic, Brian Power, *baroque violin*
Anna Chan, *harpsichord*
Andrew Ager, *organ*
Mary-Katherine Finch, *cello*

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